

~MAACAH 9 (78)

(Ma'a-cah)[1-9, possibly from a root meaning squeeze]

- Absalom's granddaughter, who was the most beloved wife of Judean King Rehoboam and the mother of King Abijah or Abijam.
- And after her he took Maacah the granddaughter of Absalom. In time she bore him Abijah and Attai and Ziza and Shelomith. (2 Chronicles 11:20)
- And Rehoboam was more in love with Maacah the granddaughter of Absalom than all his other wives and his concubines, for there were eighteen wives that he had taken, also sixty concubines, so that he became father to twenty-eight sons and sixty daughters. (2 Chronicles 11:21)
- Consequently Rehoboam put Abijah the son of Maacah in office as head, as leader among his brothers, for he thought of making him king. (2 Chronicles 11:22)
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- In the twentieth year of Jeroboam the king of Israel, Asa reigned as king of Judah. (1 Kings 15:9)
- And forty-one years he reigned in Jerusalem, and his grandmother's name was **Maacah** the granddaughter of Abishalom. (1 Kings 15:10)
- She was regarded as lady in the kingdom, being queen mother, until her grandson, King Asa, in a restoration of true worship, removed her because she had made a horrible idol to the sacred pole, or the Asherah.
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- And Asa proceeded to do what was right in the eyes of Yehowah, like David his forefather. (**1 Kings 15:11**)
- Accordingly he had the male temple prostitutes pass out of the land and removed all the dungy idols that his forefathers had made. (**1 Kings 15:12**)
- As for even **Maacah** his grandmother, he went on to remove her from being lady, because she had made a horrible idol to the sacred pole, after which Asa cut down her horrible idol and burned it at the torrent valley of Kidron. (**1 Kings 15:13**)
- As for even **Maacah** his grandmother, Asa the king himself removed her from being lady, because she had made a horrible idol for the sacred pole, and then Asa cut down her horrible idol and pulverized it and burned it in the torrent valley of Kidron. (**2 Chronicles 15:16**)
- She is called **Micaiah** at;
- Three years he reigned in Jerusalem, and his mother's name was **Micaiah** the daughter of Uriel of Gibeah. And war itself took place between Abijah and Jeroboam. (**2 Chronicles 13:2**)